

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): A guidance output method for an electronic apparatus having [[a]] at least one guidance part which indicates guidance information including operation procedures and warnings related to maintenance, ~~said guidance part being provided at a location corresponding to an apparatus part, within the electronic apparatus, to which the guidance information is related,~~ said guidance output method comprising ~~the steps of:~~

displaying, in response to a display instruction, guidance information indicated by a ~~corresponding~~ guidance part[[,]] on a display part [[of]] that is provided on the electronic apparatus,

wherein said guidance part is provided within the electronic apparatus at a location corresponding to an apparatus part, that is provided within the electronic apparatus, and to which the guidance information is related.

Claim 2 (Currently Amended): The guidance output method as claimed in claim 1, further comprising ~~the steps of:~~

generating the display instruction in response to an operation of a switch which is provided at said location or a switch which is provided at a position other than said location.

Claim 3 (Currently Amended): The guidance output method as claimed in claim 1, further comprising ~~the steps of:~~

generating the display instruction in response to an operation of a switch which is integrally provided on the guidance part.

Claim 4 (Currently Amended): The guidance output method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the guidance information has a hierarchical structure, and further comprising ~~the steps of~~:

displaying guidance information of a hierarchical layer of the hierarchical structure specified by a layer specifying instruction.

Claim 5 (Original): The guidance output method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the guidance information includes at least one of information selected from a group consisting of operating instructions, cautions, layout of parts within the electronic apparatus, product name of the electronic apparatus, model number of the electronic apparatus, rated voltage, rated current, and methods of contacting services.

Claim 6 (Original): The guidance output method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the guidance information includes characters and/or pictures.

Claim 7 (Original): The guidance output method as claimed in claim 1, wherein said displaying step displays the guidance information on the display part after subjecting the guidance information to a color conversion process for facilitating color discrimination and/or an enlarging conversion process in response to a conversion instruction.

Claim 8 (Currently Amended): The guidance output method as claimed in claim 1, further comprising ~~the steps of~~:

printing the guidance information in response to a print instruction.

Claim 9 (Currently Amended): The guidance output method as claimed in claim 1, further comprising ~~the steps of~~:

printing the guidance information in response to a print instruction,
said printing step printing the guidance information after subjecting the guidance information to a color conversion process for facilitating color discrimination in response to a color conversion instruction.

Claim 10 (Original): The guidance output method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the electronic apparatus is selected from a group consisting of copying apparatus, facsimile apparatus, printing apparatus, composite apparatus, air conditioning apparatus, and vending machines.

Claim 11 (Currently Amended): An electronic apparatus comprising:
a display part;
a plurality of apparatus parts subject to maintenance;
at least one guidance part configured to indicate guidance information including operation procedures and warnings related to maintenance, said guidance part being provided within the electronic apparatus at a location corresponding to one of the apparatus parts, that is provided within the electronic apparatus, to which the guidance information is related; and
a controller configured to display guidance information indicated by a corresponding guidance part on the display part, in response to a display instruction.

Claim 12 (Original): The electronic apparatus as claimed in claim 11, further comprising:

a switch which is provided at said location or at a position other than said location,

said controller displaying the guidance information on the display part in response to a display instruction which is generated when the switch is operated.

Claim 13 (Original): The electronic apparatus as claimed in claim 11, further comprising:

a switch which is integrally provided on the guidance part,
said controller displaying the guidance information on the display part in response to a display instruction which is generated when the switch is operated.

Claim 14 (Original): The electronic apparatus as claimed in claim 11, wherein:
the guidance information has a hierarchical structure, and
said controller displays, on the display part, guidance information of a hierarchical layer of the hierarchical structure specified by a layer specifying instruction.

Claim 15 (Original): The electronic apparatus as claimed in claim 11, wherein the guidance information includes at least one of information selected from a group consisting of operating instructions, cautions, layout of parts within the electronic apparatus, product name of the electronic apparatus, model number of the electronic apparatus, rated voltage, rated current, and methods of contacting services.

Claim 16 (Original): The electronic apparatus as claimed in claim 11, wherein the guidance information includes characters and/or pictures.

Claim 17 (Original): The electronic apparatus as claimed in claim 11, wherein said controller displays the guidance information on the display part after subjecting the guidance

information to a color conversion process for facilitating color discrimination and/or an enlarging conversion process in response to a conversion instruction.

Claim 18 (Original): The electronic apparatus as claimed in claim 11, further comprising:

a printing part,

said controller printing the guidance information by the printing part in response to a print instruction.

Claim 19 (Original): The electronic apparatus as claimed in claim 11, further comprising:

a printing part,

said controller printing the guidance information by the printing part after subjecting the guidance information to a color conversion process for facilitating color discrimination in response to a color conversion instruction.

Claim 20 (Original): The electronic apparatus as claimed in claim 11, wherein the electronic apparatus is selected from a group consisting of copying apparatus, facsimile apparatus, printing apparatus, composite apparatus, air conditioning apparatus, and vending machines.

Claim 21 (Currently Amended): A computer-readable storage medium which stores a program for a computer within an electronic apparatus having a guidance part which indicates guidance information including operation procedures and warnings related to maintenance, ~~said guidance part being provided at a location corresponding to an apparatus~~

~~part, within the electronic apparatus, to which the guidance information is related,~~ said program causing the computer to display the guidance information and comprising:

a display procedure causing the computer to display, in response to a display instruction, guidance information indicated by a ~~corresponding~~ guidance part[[,]] on a display part [[of]] that is provided on the electronic apparatus,

wherein said guidance part is provided within the electronic apparatus at a location corresponding to an apparatus part, that is provided within the electronic apparatus, and to which the guidance information is related.

Claim 22 (Original): The computer-readable storage medium as claimed in claim 21, wherein said program further comprises:

a procedure causing the computer to receive the display instruction from a switch which is provided at said location or from a switch which is provided at a position other than said location, when the switch is operated.

Claim 23 (Original): The computer-readable storage medium as claimed in claim 21, wherein said program further comprises:

a procedure causing the computer to receive the display instruction from a switch which is integrally provided on the guidance part, when the switch is operated.

Claim 24 (Original): The computer-readable storage medium as claimed in claim 21, wherein the guidance information has a hierarchical structure, and said program further comprises:

a procedure causing the computer to display guidance information of a hierarchical layer of the hierarchical structure specified by a layer specifying instruction.

Claim 25 (Original): The computer-readable storage medium as claimed in claim 21, wherein the guidance information includes at least one of information selected from a group consisting of operating instructions, cautions, layout of parts within the electronic apparatus, product name of the electronic apparatus, model number of the electronic apparatus, rated voltage, rated current, and methods of contacting services.

Claim 26 (Original): The computer-readable storage medium as claimed in claim 21, wherein the guidance information includes characters and/or pictures.

Claim 27 (Original): The computer-readable storage medium as claimed in claim 21, wherein said display procedure causes the computer to display the guidance information on the display part after subjecting the guidance information to a color conversion process for facilitating color discrimination and/or an enlarging conversion process in response to a conversion instruction.

Claim 28 (Original): The computer-readable storage medium as claimed in claim 21, wherein said program further comprises:

a print procedure causing the computer to print the guidance information in response to a print instruction.

Claim 29 (Original): The computer-readable storage medium as claimed in claim 21, wherein said program further comprises:

a print procedure causing the computer to print the guidance information in response to a print instruction,

said print procedure causing the computer to print the guidance information after subjecting the guidance information to a color conversion process for facilitating color discrimination in response to a color conversion instruction.

Claim 30 (Original): The computer-readable storage medium as claimed in claim 21, wherein the electronic apparatus is selected from a group consisting of copying apparatus, facsimile apparatus, printing apparatus, composite apparatus, air conditioning apparatus, and vending machines.

Claim 31 (Currently Amended): An electronic apparatus comprising:
display means;
a plurality of apparatus parts subject to maintenance;
at least one guidance part configured to indicate guidance information including operation procedures and warnings related to maintenance, said guidance part being provided within the electronic apparatus at a location corresponding to one of the apparatus parts, that is provided within the electronic apparatus, to which the guidance information is related; and
control means for displaying guidance information indicated by a corresponding guidance part on the display means, in response to a display instruction.

Claim 32 (New): The guidance output method as claimed in claim 1, wherein:
the electronic apparatus has a cover;
the display part is provided on the electronic apparatus at a location that is visible regardless of whether the cover is open or closed; and
the guidance part is provided within the electronic apparatus at a location that is visible only when the cover is open.

Claim 33 (New): The electronic apparatus as claimed in claim 11, wherein:

the electronic apparatus has a cover;

the display part is provided on the electronic apparatus at a location that is visible regardless of whether the cover is open or closed; and

the guidance part is provided within the electronic apparatus at a location that is visible only when the cover is open.